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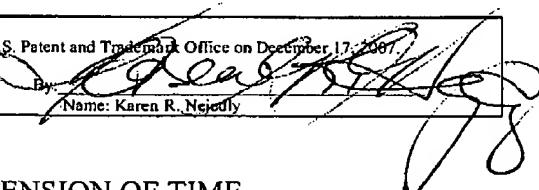
**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	BENVENISTE et al.	Examiner:	Lyle Alexander
Serial No.:	09/787,781	Group Art Unit:	1743
Filed:	May 24, 2001	Docket No.:	13599.0005USWO
Title:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PRODUCING A SUBSTANCE OR A SIGNAL WITH A COAGULATING OR ANTICOAGULANT EFFECT		

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a four-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Final Office Action mailed December 15, 2006 and the Notice of Appeal mailed June 15, 2007; said period of response being extended from August 15, 2007 to December 15, 2007.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$820.00 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.



Respectfully submitted,

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